## **MEMORANDUM**

July 10, 2003 File No. 03-071001

TO: Grays Harbor County, Planning Director Environmental Coordinator, DOE

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FROM: Jenifer Gitchell, SEPA Center

SUBJECT: SEPA LEAD AGENCY & MITIGATED

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

This is to advise you that pursuant to WAC 197-11-900 (922 through 948), the Department of Natural Resources has determined that it is Lead Agency for the following:

Polson Railroad Timber Sale #74817 and Forest Practices Application #2605500 is a one-unit regeneration harvest of 35.7 acres of a 60 year old western hemlock stand on Common School trust land. The estimated volume to be harvested from this sale is 958 MBF. Located in Section 36, Township 20 North, Range 10 West, W.M., Grays Harbor County.

Information about this proposal including the Threshold Determination, SEPA Checklist and Forest Practice Application can be viewed on DNR's website at:

## http://www.dnr.wa.gov/sepa

Pursuant to WAC 332-41-504, this proposal was filed in the department's SEPA Center at the Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington, on <u>July 10, 2003</u>. We will consider comments on this proposed MDNS received by 4:30 p.m. on <u>July 24, 2003</u>. Comments should be submitted to the SEPA Center at, <u>sepacenter@wadnr.gov</u> or P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington 98504-7015 for distribution to the responsible official. Please <u>include the file number</u> listed above on all comments.